

SAMPLE BALLOT FRONT

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State of Alaska Official Ballot November 20, 2007

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Chatham School District REAA #18, Section I, Recall

School Board Seat A

The following grounds are quoted verbatim from the petition submitted for the recall of Shelly Wilson from her elected office as a member of the Chatham Regional Educational Attendance Area School Board, Seat A:

"She has exhibited misconduct in office, incompetence, and failure to perform prescribed duties by:

1. Hiring personnel for 2006-07 who were unqualified as school administrators because they do not hold Type B teacher certificates: on 5/16/06 hiring Katherine Carl, assigned to administer the Special Education program in violation of AS14.30.255, 4AAC12.350. 2. During 2006-07 violating AS14.20.149(b)(7) by failing to implement an evaluation system for district teachers and administrators which provided an opportunity for students, parents, community members, teachers, and administrators to provide information on the performance of certified employees. 3. Violating the Open Meeting Act by participating in illegal executive sessions: a. on 2/13/06 in which Tenakee employee(s) were discussed without being given notice or the option to make the discussion public. b. on 12/5/06, 2/13/07, 3/13/07, 4/18/07, and 5/8/07 in which the specific subject of the executive session was not included in the motion as required by AS44.62.310. 4. Failing to adequately supervise the superintendent who misused district resources in 2006-07 by allowing rent-free use of Tenakee district housing that should have been rented."

The following statement is provided by Shelly Wilson, rebutting the above grounds:

"The Chatham School District school board highly values the education of children and takes very seriously the responsibility they carry in performing their duties.

The accusation made against the board members on this ballot were never proven and are not true. The problems of the district are complex and decisions are made to make the district better as a whole, while paying attention to the uniqueness of the sites. We hope to continue serving the public as board members of Chatham School District."

Shall Shelly Wilson be recalled from the office of Chatham School District Board Member, Seat A?

☐ Yes

☐ No

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School Board Seat B

The following grounds are quoted verbatim from the petition submitted for the recall of Edward Gamble, Sr. from his elected office as a member of the Chatham Regional Educational Attendance Area School Board, Seat B.

"He has exhibited misconduct in office, incompetence, and failure to perform prescribed duties by:

1. Hiring personnel for 2006-07 who were unqualified as school administrators because they do not hold Type B teacher certificates. a. on 5/16/06 approving the hire of Katherine Carl, assigned to administer the Special Education program in violation of AS14.30.255, 4AAC12.350 b. on 4/11/06 approving the hire of Rita Ellen Robinson, contracted as administrator in violation of 4AAC12.325. 2. During 2006-07 violating AS14.20.149(b)(7) by failing to implement an evaluation system for district teachers and administrators which provided an opportunity for students, parents, community members, teachers, and administrators to provide information on the performance of the certified employee. 3. Violating the Open Meeting Act by participating in illegal executive sessions: on 12/05/06, 3/13/07, 4/18/07, and 5/8/07 in which the specific subject of the executive session was not included in the motion as required by AS44.62.310. 4. Failing to adequately supervise the superintendent who misused district resources in 2006-07 by allowing rent-free use of district housing in Tenakee that should have been rented."

The following statement is provided by Edward Gamble, Sr., rebutting the above grounds:

"The Chatham School District school board highly values the education of children and takes very seriously the responsibility they carry in performing their duties.

The accusation made against the board members on this ballot were never proven and are not true. The problems of the district are complex and decisions are made to make the district better as a whole, while paying attention to the uniqueness of the sites. We hope to continue to provide quality education to all students within our district."

Shall Edward Gamble, Sr. be recalled from the office of Chatham School District Board Member, Seat B?

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

School Board Seat C

The following grounds are quoted verbatim from the petition submitted for the recall of Irene Paul from her elected office as a member of the Chatham Regional Educational Attendance Area School Board, Seat C:

"She has exhibited misconduct in office, incompetence, and failure to perform prescribed duties by:

1. Hiring personnel for 2006-07 who were unqualified as school administrators because they do not hold Type B teacher certificates. a. on 5/16/06 approving the hire of Katherine Carl, assigned to administer the Special Education program in violation of AS14.30.255, 4AAC12.350 b. on 4/11/06 approving the hire of Rita Ellen Robinson, contracted as administrator in violation of 4AAC12.325. 2. During 2006-07 violating AS14.20.149(b)(7) by failing to implement an evaluation system for district teachers and administrators which provided an opportunity for students, parents, community members, teachers, and administrators to provide information on the performance of the certified employee. 3. Violating the Open Meeting Act by participating in illegal executive sessions: a. on 2/13/07 in which Tenakee employee(s) were discussed without being given notice or the option to make the discussion public. b. on 12/05/06, 2/13/07, 3/13/07 4/18/07, and 5/8/07 in which the specific subject of the executive session was not included in the motion as required by AS44.62.310. 4. Failing to adequately supervise the superintendent who misused district resources in 2006-07 by allowing rent-free use of district housing in Tenakee that should have been rented."

The following statement is provided by Irene Paul, rebutting the above grounds:

"The Chatham School District school board highly values the education of children and takes very seriously the responsibility they carry in performing their duties.

The accusation made against the board members on this ballot were never proven and are not true. The problems of the district are complex and decisions are made to make the district better as a whole, while paying attention to the uniqueness of the sites. We hope to continue serving the public as board members of Chatham School District."

Shall Irene Paul be recalled from the office of Chatham School District Board Member, Seat C?

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

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